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Dear Sir:

This Paper responds to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2007. The Applicant respectfully submits that the claims define patentable subject matter.